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2 that you worked at Jamaica Hospital, how  
3 many patients you saw at that unit?

4 A. Okay. I cannot give you the  
5 numbers, but what I can give you that  
6 usually my load of cases not less than  
7 ten because it's three attending in the  
8 unit, 28 patients, you sharing them, and  
9 it's each one have approximately ten  
10 patient at a time.

11 Q. You saw thousands of patient;  
12 am I correct?

13 A. I believe so, yeah.

14 Q. Five, 10,000 patients  
15 potentially?

16 A. I don't know exactly. It's a  
17 lot for ten years.

18 Q. It wouldn't surprise you if you  
19 saw ten thousands patient?

20 A. If somebody will say it, oh, my  
21 God.

22 Q. It's probably true though,  
23 right?

24 A. I see definitely a lot because  
25 I don't know how many in Jamaica

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2 writing my chart, I fill out my note and  
3 I fill out evaluation.

4 Q. So there was no new evaluation  
5 before you filled this out other than the  
6 one we just finished going through?

7 A. No.

8 Q. Let's go to what you wrote  
9 under Section III (a). You wrote what?

10 A. Thirty-nine year old male  
11 without past psychiatric history  
12 presented to emergency room with,  
13 quote/unquote, paranoid ideations and  
14 admitted for further evaluation.

15 Q. Let me ask you a question: Why  
16 did you put, quote/unquote, paranoid: Is  
17 that the same thing as you put before,  
18 question mark, paranoid?

19 A. Yes.

20 Q. That's the same reason?

21 A. Right, but I did not --  
22 probably when I was writing, I was  
23 reflecting my own understanding about his  
24 real paranoia or questionable paranoia.

25 Q. So you put quotations around

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2 paranoid because at that point you hadn't  
3 yet made up your mind that he was  
4 paranoid, correct?

5 A. Yeah.

6 "Physical condition, stable."

7 Q. So Section B was physical  
8 condition, and you wrote "stable."

9 A. Stable.

10 Q. Mental condition?

11 A. Mental condition, Patient very  
12 anxious, suspicious, afraid that his  
13 superiors in the police department wanted  
14 to get rid of him, quote/unquote.

15 Part D, "The patient showed the  
16 following psychiatric signs and symptoms:  
17 anxiety and paranoid quality ideations."

18 Q. Paranoid quality ideations,  
19 what did you mean when you wrote that?

20 A. The same questionable paranoid.

21 Q. So now you have your diagnosis  
22 of anxiety and questionable paranoid  
23 ideations, correct?

24 A. Right.

25 Q. Can you keep reading?

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2 MR. RADOMISLI: Objection to the  
3 form of the question.

4 A. Part E, "Does the patient show  
5 tendency to cause serious harm to  
6 himself?" I marked no. "To others," I  
7 marked no.

8 Q. Let me just ask you: That was  
9 your opinion, Section E, that was your  
10 opinion when you wrote this form,  
11 correct?

12 A. Yes.

13 Q. And by checking those boxes,  
14 you were expressing your opinion in  
15 writing, correct?

16 A. Yes, if he did not express any  
17 suicidal or homicidal ideations.

18 Q. And what did you write after  
19 that?

20 A. Okay. "Mental diagnosis if  
21 determined." I put "psychosis NOS. Rule  
22 out adjustment disorder."

23 Q. Which is what you wrote on your  
24 note earlier, correct?

25 A. Yes.

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2 Q. Then?

3 A. And then Psychiatric  
4 Confirmation. I wrote that I have  
5 personally observed and examined  
6 Schoolcraft, Adrian, the date is 11 --

7 MR. DEVINE: Doctor. Hold it  
8 just a second.

9 A. -- on 11/4/2009, and based on  
10 such examination and case history, I  
11 confirmed there is a reasonable cause to  
12 believe that the patient has a mental  
13 illness on which immediate care and  
14 treatment in the hospital is appropriate  
15 and which is likely to result in serious  
16 harm to himself or others.

17 The facts stated and  
18 information contained herein are true to  
19 the best of my knowledge and belief, and  
20 then I have a psychiatrist staff, Jamaica  
21 Hospital, and my signature.

22 Q. After you signed this form,  
23 what did you do with the chart?

24 A. Nothing. What should I do with  
25 it?